



PATENT 0512-1062

## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Pascual PEREZ et al.

Conf.: 2155

Application No.:

09/380,086

Group: 1638

Filed:

November 29, 1999

Examiner: Anne R. Kubelik

For:

NOVEL USES OF MALE STERILITY IN PLANTS

## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 14, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2005 and the Notice of Appeal filed February 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.